

# **Exhibit 1**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

DONNA WOOD, individually and on  
behalf all others similarly  
situated : Docket #20-cv-02489

Plaintiffs, :  
-against- :  
MIKE BLOOMBERG 2020, INC., : New York, New York  
Defendant. May 18, 2023

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PROCEEDINGS BEFORE  
THE HONORABLE GABRIEL W. GORENSTEIN  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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1 MS. PHILION: Your Honor, Ms. Bloom is here  
2 with me.

3 THE COURT: No, that's -- I don't care. I  
4 just -- throws me off a little bit.

5 Okay. Your last name is?

6 MS. PHILION: My last name is Philion.

7 THE COURT: Philion. Okay.

8 All right. We're here based on two  
9 letters, one dated -- I'm sorry, Docket 344 and  
10 Docket 347. All right. Some of these I don't think  
11 I need any argument, I'll just tell you my ruling,  
12 and some I need to hear from you. So let me go  
13 through them.

14 On the criminal histories, I certainly  
15 would have permitted you to ask about any  
16 convictions at a deposition, and it seems to me you  
17 had the opportunity to do that and didn't. I don't  
18 think I should be bothering people with more  
19 discovery on that. If there are any people that you  
20 didn't depose, I'd be willing to have you send an  
21 interrogatory specifically asking about whether you  
22 were convicted and the crime and the date of the  
23 conviction.

24 Are there any such people?

25 MS. PHILION: I don't believe there are,

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5 DONNA WOOD, individually and on behalf all  
6 others similarly situated v. MIKE BLOOMBERG 2020, INC,  
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